



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

WIMMER ET AL.

CASE NO: FA1193 US NA

SERIAL NO: 10/788,985

GROUP ART UNIT: 1733

FILED: FEBRUARY 27, 2004

EXAMINER: STEVEN D. MAKI

FOR: PROCESS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF ELECTRICAL

STEEL SHEET CORES

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO THE MARCH 28, 2006 NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants respond to the Non-Final Office Action mailed on March 28, 2006. A Petition for an Extension of Time for one-month under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a). Please amend the above-referenced application as follows and consider the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.